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**NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD
OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION OR)
REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF:)

MOHAMMAD MEHDI, M.D.
LICENSE NO. MA79355)

TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY)
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY)

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners ("Board") upon receipt of information revealing the following:

1. Respondent, Mohammad Mehdi, M.D., License No. MA79355, is a physician licensed in the State of New Jersey and has been licensed at all times relevant hereto.
2. On or about September 27, 2005, in the Superior Court of the State of Delaware, Sussex County, Respondent entered a plea of nolo contendere to the charge of offensive touching, in violation of 11 Del. C. §601(a)(1), in that he engaged in an act of offensive touching regarding a female patient. Respondent was placed on probation for one year.
3. On or about July 18, 2006, the Delaware Board of Medical Practice ("Delaware Board") adopted the terms of a consent order signed by Respondent. The consent order found that Respondent

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violated 24 Del. C. §1731(b)(2) in that he had been convicted of a crime substantially related to the practice of medicine. Pursuant to the consent order, Respondent agreed to have his Delaware medical license placed on probation, concurrent with the period of probation that he is serving as a result of the criminal conviction. Additionally, Respondent agreed to provide all documentation of the details of his probation to the Delaware Board, particularly as they relate to sexual abuse counseling. Respondent was also referred to the Physicians Health Committee for recommendations regarding counseling and is required to perform twelve (12) hours of AMA sponsored CME regarding risk management, doctor-patient boundaries and sexual contact with patients within the next 12 months.

4. The above criminal action taken by the sister State of Delaware provides grounds to take disciplinary action against Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f), in that Respondent has been convicted of and engaged in acts constituting a crime or offense involving moral turpitude and relating adversely to the activity regulated by the Board.

5. The above licensure action taken by the sister State of Delaware provides grounds to take disciplinary action against Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(g), in that Respondent has had his authority to engage in the activity regulated by the Board limited by another state for reasons consistent with N.J.S.A. 45:1-21.

It appearing that Respondent wishes to resolve this matter without formal proceedings and for good cause shown,

IT IS ON THIS 14th DAY OF June, 2007

ORDERED:

1. Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of New Jersey shall be suspended until such time that he can demonstrate to the Board that he has satisfied all the terms and conditions of his criminal probation, based on his plea of nolo contendere in Delaware for offensive touching, and show proof that he has been released from probation by the Delaware Board of Medical Practice and holds an active unrestricted license to practice medicine in the State of Delaware.

2. In the event that Respondent seeks reinstatement of his New Jersey medical license at any time in the future, this Order shall require Respondent to appear before the Board, or a Committee thereof, to demonstrate fitness to practice medicine and to prove that he has satisfied all the terms and conditions of this Order.

STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Sindy M. Paul, MD, MPH

By: Sindy Paul, M.D.
Board President

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

Mohammad Mehdi

Mohammad Mehdi, M.D.

04/27/07
Date